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We represent the plaintiffs Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, et al. in the above referenced matter.

A status conference is scheduled in this matter before Your Honor on Monday, November 7, 2011, at 10:00 a.m. However, the attorneys in this office principally involved in this mater, including the undersigned, have a conflict and must be in California on that date. Accordingly, we are writing to request a brief adjournment of the conference.

We have spoken to Deputy Clerk David Tam who has advised that the next available date and time for the conference is Monday, November 14, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. We request that the conference be rescheduled for that date and time.

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We have contacted counsel for defendants Max Specialty Insurance Company, Signal International, LLC and Great American Insurance Company of New York and they have no objection to this request.

We thank the Court for its consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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